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AGENTS.

#### THE BRITISH COLONIST.

Friday Morning, Jan. 10, 1868.

MARRIED.

In this city, on the 9th inst., by the Rev. T. Somerville, Mr Joel Stone to Miss Lucy Johnson, both of Victoria.

#### Church of Scotland Social Reunion.

On Wednesday evening last the St. Nicholas Hall was filled with the members and friends of the congregation to overflowing. On entering we found the Hall suitably decorated, and six tables bounteously provided and presided over by ladies of the Charch. The Rev. Mr Somerville took the chair at seven o'clock, and after the audience had sung the 100th Psalm, the tea was served to about 400 guests. A pleasant hour passed in the discussion of the material part of the programme, when the choir rendered a piece of sacred music, "Litt up your back?" Mr Somerville they responded on behalf of the ladies, in a manner that entitled him to the honor of the ovening. guests. A pleasant hour passed in the discussion of the material part of the programme, when the choir rendered a piece of sacred music, "Litt up your heads." Mr Somerville then rose and in a somewhat witty and humor-ous introduction said he had not had the satisfaction of seeing the performances of the Wizard, who had by his clever slight-of-hand tricks, been amusing the people of the city lately; he once, however, early in life, seen a player swallow a quantity of lint and then spin from his mouth almost innumerable yards of cord; he had been at College a number of years and had swallowed a little of the lint of learning, but still he could not make the cord of speech interminable; he found that it would run out, and he felt like adopting the course of Artemus Ward in his attempt to reorganize Betsy Jane, and let the task which he had undertaken out by the job. After which, he said, that of the Church it might be said as of Thompson's river:

"Some may come and some may go,

But it goes on forever." That he was sorry the assistant appointed had withdrawn, and considerable difficulty had been experienced by the Colonial Committee in the selection of another, yet that notwithstanding cold winds and cold serv who had not yet identified themselves with their brethren would then be expected to preserve honor with their realized the expectations of his nurses Too much pap and soft soap had sickened him a little, but the boy was gotting over it, and Big Bend was gotting over it, and Big Bend was sure to have a big end. Commerce toe was improving. Blind consignments were yielding to regular trade. No longer were there such anomalies as a bank holding a liquor licence, and as a bank holding a liquor licence, and abankrupt salaried for realizing his own affairs. In many ways the Colony was improving; the farmers were firmer, fatter and tuller; the forests were yielding to the axe, the fields being turned over and the flocks multiplying. There might be many empty house, in the city but in the country, house, multiplying. There might be many empty houses in the city, but in the country, homenouses in the city, but in the country, homes stends stood where no homesteads stood before. Then as to the Colonial Government, the motto of which had been all things by turns, and nothing long." We were now on the eve of Confederation, soon would we be part of an empire stretching from sea to sea, with a population combining all the industry part of an empire stretching from sea to sea with a population combining all the industry and intelligence of the British North American, all the energy and eagerness of the American, and all the perseverance of the old coustry. The New Dominion—the very name was suggestive, our successors would have pride in proclaiming themselves born within it. Foolish fears were entertained as regards the chance of Confederate favors but he was suite if we returned repretained as regards the chance of Confederate favors, but he was sure if we returned representatives such as those we sent to New Westminster last year, men with too much principle to be bought, and with two much sagacity to be sold, there need be no such fears. As to our mother country the great event had been that the Reform bill was an act of Pathament, this paved the way to position by merit, and merit alone, when even the most noble would command favor only the most noble would command favor only by improving the advantages of his position. Turt hunters and sporting men would no longer obstruct progressive legislation, while such men as the Duke of Argyle and Lord Stanley would be the nation's pride and delight. In church affairs the most prominent was the Pananglioan Synod. His expectations of this had been disappointed. Instead lice opinion?

of discussing the questions which agitated the times, such as the relation of science and theology, or the province of reason in religion, "Dave Cameron," "Beware of the Dog," had been their motto, and they separated with an exceedingly safe pastoral. The hon, gentleman spoke at some length of Feniauism and its fruitless effects, and thought it would be better to let Ireland go if England had wronged her. He spoke briefly of the German Confederacy, and of Italy, and concluded by saying the unity of the Italian kingdon would soon be completed, and the cry resound from Sicily to the Alps, "Immanuel, God with us."

The Choir then performed a glee, "Where

"Immanuel, God with us."

The Choir then performed a glee, "Where art thou beam of light."

After which, Hon Mr Francis, the American Consul, gave a short sketch of the history of the early Puritans in New England, and showed how the principles of their religious faith had influenced the Constitution of the American nation. The address, which was read, was appropriate, chaste and forcible.

Song, "Campbell's Last Man," by Mrs Hutcheson, whose voice filled the large hall and whose rendering was excellent and most

Dr Comrie, R N, read a very excellent paper on the relation between natural and revealed truth, a synopsis of which we could not give to day, owing to the peculiarity of the subject, without doing injustice, perhaps, to the mind of the author. Ex Mayor Franklyn gave a very humor-

ous reading of the Frenchman in England trying to learn the definition of the word box, which convulsed the house with laugh-

The Rev Chairman here stated that Mayor Trimble and Dr Powell had sent word that owing to professional duties, they could not

A recess of fifteen minutes was then taken, after which Mr Wallace announced that Mrs Erskine and Miss Helmes had been the lucky drawers of pretty riegs, which had been donated and concealed in a cake, the proceeds of which amounted to sixty dollars.

of the orator of the evening.

mises and when we left was selling at auction the remaining cakes, with a brisk competi-

We understand that the funds realized from this soirce exceeds \$700 and we have no hesitation in pronouncing it one of the most successful meetings of the kind that has ever come off in this city.

RETURN OF THE ENTERPRISE-The steamer Enterprise retuined from the mainland yesterday afternoon, bringing a few passengers. The Fraser being blocked with ice, the Enterprise ran to the head of Burrard Inlet, where the passeogers embarked in a sleigh for New Westminster by the Brighton road, which (as the New Westminster press truthfully observed a few weeks ago,) is in a state dangerous to both the life and limb of travellers The sleigh soon broke down in one of the ruts. The cold was intense, and the walk of mons the attendance had been great, txelve miles from the Inlet to New Westand substantial progress mado in spiritual and temporal prosperity. The Church of Scotland had pledged herself to the erection of a suitable edifice, and many of the members in the substantial progress mado in spiritual and temporal prosperity. The being extra-hazardous. At New Westminster the weather was playing a game of freeze-out, with the inhabitants. The thermometer stood at 12° below zero! No busimometer stood at 12° below zero! No business was doing. The Fraser opposite the "capital" was frozen from shore to shore, mother church. The Colony was also and loaded sleighs might cross in safety Good returns had come both from much suffering had occurred in consequence Cariboo and Kootenay. Big Bend, the camp, where the officials domicile, much suffering had occurred in consequence of the severity of the weather and the stock representation. of fresh meat running short. In the Columbian office the ink and rollers froze and were with difficulty thawed in time to issue Wednesday's paper. From Yale we learn that a Cariboo express is on the way down over the ice. The date of its arrival at Burrard Inlet is uncertain. Six Indians, while on their way in a canoe, one day last week, from New Westminster to Langley, were caught in the ice and all drowned.

A Good Excuse-James Wright, an incorrigible "bummer," yesterday appeared before Mr Pemberton to answer to a charge of stealing a piece of tobacco, weighing 20 lbs. from the store of L. Malatesta, on Johnson street. - The tobacco was found in Wright's possession and the prisoner accounted for its possession in the following ingenious manner. He said he met two Indians drunk in Johnson street, one of whom carried the tol acco; presently the two Indians commenced fighting and the tobacco fell to the sidewalk. After the fight had ended, the Indians staggered off, leaving the tobacco lying on the walk, and Wright, picking it up, was in the act of carrying it to the Police Station when he was apprehended by an officer. The magistrate deemed the excuse a plausible one, ordered the tobacco to be returned to Malatesta, and dismissed Wright with a caution not to witness any more Indian fights.

THE British Columbian Examiner savs .-"Mean .- We are informed that a petition to the Governor, asking for the retention of the Government Assay Office, was in circulation in Cariboo, recently, when, no on knows how, it disappeared. It is supposed to have been stolen." What ought to be done to the villain who thus attempts to smother pub-

England, recently, William Croft, a groom was brought up on a curious charge. He had lived in the service of Mr Ridgeway Bently Chowley, on the Park Farm, Bolten, who holds a responsible pesition under the Duke of Devonshire. Croft had been in the habit of attending the family when they drove out, and in his capacity as groom he frequently rode out with the young ladies. An intimacy sprung up between him and one of the daughters, and they went over to Bradford, applied for and obtained a license at St James Church, and would have been married but for the interference of the young lady's friends, who heard of the intentions of

Who Are They?-It seems New Year's ders, are out regularly, and sing well. Two voices are very prominent, and easily distinsong, "When Johnny comes marching home,"

Knox. - This young man was again brought before Mr Pemberton yesterday to answer to the charge of having administered hard knocks to Adjutant Vinter, two years ago, in the Occidental Saloon. No new with nesses were called, but it is understood that several will be forthcoming on Monday next, to which day the prisoner was remanded. In the meantime, should be or his friends deposit a purse of \$200 as security for his appearance for further examination, he will be suffered to go.

BARTHOLOMEW'S RIDING SCHOOL .- The building which Mr Bartholomew has taken for the purpose of a Riding School and Gymnasium-Buckley's Hall-is being fitted up-The cold weather has been greatly against the completion of alterations, but the classes, we understand, will be started in a few days This establishment will be a source of great amusement in the dull winter season; and as

of the orator of the evening.

Mr Bissett proposed a vote of thanks to the choir, and relerred to the remarks of Mr Somerville on Big Bend, saying that he knew a man who had made his pile there since he parted from him in July last.

The vote was seconded by Counciller Jeffrey and responded to by Mr Livock.

The programme concluded with the singing of the National Anthem; after which Mr J P Davies took possession of the president of the proposition and as the proprietor intends putting his fees at a low rate, we think he will have numerous subscribers.

A Roying Commission?—The British Columbian announces that the bark Enterprise has sailed from Liverpool for British Columbia of the proprietor intends putting his fees at a low rate, we think he will have numerous subscribers. of which fact, of course, the Columbian was

the mail to-day. Among the passengers will be Mr Kincaid, Postmaster of Alaska, and Colonels Reece and Dennison, U.S.A.

LICENCES-His Worship the Mayor and Mr Pemberton sat yesterday to hear a few applications for liquor licences.

THEATRE.-The complimentary benefit to Mr Marsh will take place on Tuesday next,

THE steamer Isabel has towed a big raft of ogs from Port Ludlow, W. T. to Burrard

THE California sailed at 7 o'clock last

# Heywood's New Sugar-Cured Hams

manufactured from the very best of Island fed Pork—clean and pure as the snow that fell on Diana's lap—Oh, get out! Everybedy buys them, because they are good. Now midd, be sure and make no mistake; it is in

WE MAY BE HAPPY YET .- Those amongst us who are philosophers enough to think so. and imagine that they see the hopeful cloud

AUSTRALIAN HOTEL AND WATER CURE ES-TABLISHMENT. - Mr Seeley has furnished rooms with single and double beds and parlors, for the accommodation of Families and Invalids, with or without board, who may enjoy the benefits of the Sea Water Baths connected with the establishment. Hot Cold or Tepid Sulphur Baths. 1m

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IF you wish the very best CABINET PHO-TOGRAPHS, you must call on BRADLEY & Rulofson, 429 Montgomery street, San Francisco.

FRED PAYNE has removed his Cheap Shaving Shop to the opposite side of Johnson street, just above the Miner's Saloon.

the couple, and took the young lady home.

ime is not to stop at present. During these fine moon light nights, a party of serana guished. Keep it up, boys, the country is improving and can stand it. The tramp sounded really grand, but it seems to us to preserve the wondrous vitality of our friends. At least one night in a month Johnny must

THE Fideliter will sail for Alaska with

Among the passengers by the Enterprise yesterday was Hon. Mr Hamly.

Inlet.

evening; she carried 70 passengers.

# and Breakfast Bacon.

HEYWOOD'S PORK SAUSAGE.

ELIXER OF LIFE-Mr Heywood, of the Yorkshire Market, has commenced for the season to make his celebrated Pork Sausage, the fire-proof Brick Store, next door to the Old Original Coffee Stand.

and imagine that they see the hopeful cloud "about the size of a man's hand," hovering over us, will certainly be confirmed in their belief if they step into T N Hibben & Co's bookstore and see the variety of attractive, useful and handsome souvenirs in anticipation of the coming Merry Christmas and Happy New Year.

NEW WINTER FASHIONS-Received by last steamer at Victoria House, direct from Paris the Latest Novelties in Ladics' Trimmed Bonnets and Hats, Girls' and Infrimmed Bonnets and Hats, Ciris' and In-fants' Hats and Bonnets, Genoa Velvets, Bis-marck and other new Silks, Flowers and Feathers, Kid Gloves, Black and Colored Velvet Ribbons, etc., etc.

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#### Schedule B

TENERAL ABSTRACT Shewing the average amount of the Luabilities and Assets within the Colony of British Columbia, of the Bank of British North America, taken from the usual Weekly Statements during e Quarter from 30th September to 31st December, 1867: ASSETS AM'T. 

Total amount of assets..... 

1, John Grant Shepherd, do hereby declare to the best-f my knowledge and belief, into the foregoing abstrate true and faithful account of the a creage amount of Assets and Liabilities within this Colony of the above Buring the period specified, and that the same was made up from the Weckly Statements thereof, kept in purso of the provisions of the Banking Act, 1864."

(Signed)

Declared before me at Victoria, this 2d day of December, 1868.

(Signed)

A. F. PEMBERTON, S. M.

#### GENERAL ABSTRACT

LIABILITIES. ASSETS

Notes in Circulation \$120,678 00 Balances due to other Banks and Branches 10,997 33 toleposits not bearing Interest 113,715 14 Balances due to other Banks and Branches 113,715 14 Balances due from other Banks and Branches All debts due to the Bank, including Notes, Bills of Exchange, and all storad Funded Debts of every description, excepting Notes, Bills, and Balances due from other Banks and Branches 552,122 15

Wm. C. WARD, Manager.

# (Signed) Wm. ( Declared before me at Victoria, B. C., this 3d day of January, 1868, (Signed) A. F. PEMBERTON, S. M.

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100 do Orange Peel 100 do Citron Peel 100 do Almonds, shelled 100 do Jordan Almonds

100 do Figs 100 do Fresh Peaches, in tins 100 bbls Crus and (4) Sugar 100 bxs Glenfield starch

100 bbls Split Peas

100 bxs Candles 100 5-gallon kegs Golden Syrup 100 bbis Clear Mess Pork 2,000 gallons Devoe's Coal Oil And a general assortment of Goods, which

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English Soap; Walnuts, Almonds, Figs and Prunes; Bacon and Hams;

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On the 27th June, 1866, MOTEKWALLAH, a Printer, way convicted at the Supreme Court, Calcutta, of counterfeiting the of Messrs CROSSE & BLACKWELL, London, and was sentenced by Mr Justice Phear to

TWO YEARS RIGOROUS IMPRISONMENT And on the Suth of the same menth, for ARTICLES
RELLS, INCA SPURRIOUS ARTICLES
Bearing Inbels in imitation of Messrs CROSSE & BLACKWELLS, SHAIK BACHOO was sentenced, by the Subur,
ban Magistrate at Scaldali, to

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NOTICE

From and after this date Collections for Subscriptions to the DAILY SERVISE COLO.IST will be made FORTNIGHTLY.

Information Wanted. The British Columbia Examiner calls upon the Governor to make public the state of the Capital question -to say whether or not any decision has been arrived at on the subject; and if so, which place, if either, has been selected at the future Seat of Government of the Colony? Our cotemporary argues that the excessive reticence observed by the Government indicates that a decision unfavorable to New Westminster has been come to; but, being fully prepared for the worst, he is willing to receive the unwelcome tidings without further delay. Our can be accomplished by pursuing the present reticent policy. The result is mischievous to New West. While on this subject—Last session I asked for a return of fines and seizures in the Cusminster, where an unsettled and ists to an extent that paralyzes every interest. As is natural, there are many rumors afloat as to the nature of the last despatches received by the Government; but the one which finds the most credence is that which has it that the next session of the Legislative Council will be held at Victoria. Admitting this to be correct, another question presents itself, viz: When will the Council be called together? There is no law that we know of that compals the Governor to summent the compels the Governor to summon the Council to meet at any stated time. hoping through its columns to pene-trate the thick veil of mystery that now enshrouds the movements of the Government on this question, or who almost daily perform weary pilgrimages to the Cemp in the peneltrate. ages to the Camp in the pursuit of knowledge under difficulties, may live paid wholly by fixed ealaries, or partly by many months before the unwelcome salaries and in part by fees, is a matter upon truth bursts upon them. In fact, some assert that the secret is locked securely in the Governor's breast, and following clause of the Customs Amendment that the key to the secret is lost ! We Act of 1857, will have a difficulty in underhave long entertained the same opinion as our cotemporary: that if the Governor had had any good news for ury to swell the salary of the Governor, New Westminster ears he would have made it public long since. Hence we rather applauded than condemned his Excellency's reticence. The article in the Examiner indicates a very unsatisfactory state of the public mind at New Westminster. Any person who demands that the truth—unwelcome though it may prove—be made known at once; although, we are bound to say, that they are fighting shadows when they talk and act as though the removal of the Capital would deal the place a deathblow. New Westminster would actually profit by the transfer. At most she would miss the money that the few officials now spend there; and to compensate her for that loss the deranged public mind vould soon in the several and be of full force and effect in the several British possessions abroad, except where British possessions, aborad, except where United Kingdom or the Channel Islands, and except also as to any such possession as shall by lotal Act or Ordinance have provided for by the said Acts, or limited by express reference to the United Kingdom or the Channel Islands, and except also as to any such possession as shall by lotal Act or Ordinance have provided for by the said Acts, or limited by express reference to the United Kingdom or the Channel Islands, and except also as to any such possession and except also as to any such possessio the deranged public mind would soon sion. become tranquilized, the Government would be cheaply administered from Victoria, and the money saved by the concentration of the public business devoted to the improvement of the whole Colony. Even the "Brighton road, to Burrard Inlet, in place of being as now in a state of impassibility, would come in for its share of improvement out of the economized question of a refund might be entertained funds. Therefore we say again, that we have no fears of the final result of this agitation, and for the sake of quieting the public mind at "the Capital," we join our cotemporary in asking the Government to make public the decision and give Westminster a chance to turn its attention to the development of the latent resources which exist so abundantly in its

#### Fees of Office.

neighborhood, instead of, as now,

ekeing out a miserable existence from

the scanty crumbs that fall from the

gubernatorial table.

VICTORIA, B. C., Jan. 8, 1868. EDITOR BRITISH COLONIST :- Tax-payer may have noticed in your paper of 25th November last, reported the decision of the Supreme Court in two cases in which the Government sought to impose a charge of five per cent on taxes in arrear, in addition to the five per cent provided by law. The injustice of the practice will be still more

apparent, when it is recollected that the

Treasury has been closed against the public

abstract of probable Revenue for 1867, I notice arrears of taxation due by Vancouver Island, \$36,000-5 per cent on which would amount to \$1800. Clever rather, on the part of our paternal Government, to lock the Treasury door against Government creditors and by so doing to take occasion to charge the debtor an additional 5 per cent. Previous to taking legal action in the matter, I addressed a letter to the Governor, with full particulars, and six weeks afterwards received official reply "declining to interfere with the Sheriff in the performance of duties required of him by law." Judging by the past, either His Excellency's legal concep tions require brushing up, or his lawadvisers are greatly to blame. Wrong on the capital question, as regards its legal aspect; wrong on the customs question, in countenancing the attempt to make the new law retrospective to the detriment of Victoria merchants only ; wrong on the question of sheriff's fees and wrong at Cariboo. In addressing that letter, I indulged myself with the hope that the heavy cloud of bewilderment which hung over the executive legal mind in the north would have lightened as t proceeded south, within reach of Attorney Generals and law libraries, in which hope I was disappointed, Imagine for an instant the absurdity of supposing that an act passed in England in the reign of Queen Elizabeth, 200 years before the land we incotemporary is right. No good end habit was known to exist, should impose a special tax against the people of this Colony!

during the past eight months. In official

toms Department up to 1866, and how approundecided state of public feeling ex- priated. The amount was short of \$14,000, and the appropriation, I believe, as stated in clause CLXXXIV of the Customs Consolidation Act, 1843, which reads as follows:

tation; and the other third part to the seizor informer and prosecutor, excepting such penalties and forfeitures as are from seizures He is not confined to da'es. The matter is left discretionary with his Excellency: Ho may call the Council together this season or he may not; and the New Westminsterians who engerly scan the Gazette each week,

Now, whether Customs officers should be tained; I offer none. But I contend that any person who shall read attentively the standing why 1/3 of these fines and seizures should be diverted from the Colonial Treasalready out of all proportion to the taxpaying capabilities of the struggling people in this overgrown Colony. The section read as follows :

20 AND 21 VICTORIA, CAP, 62. Whereas doubts have arisen whether the several sections of "The Customs Consolidation Act, 1853." other than those containing particular provisions relating thereto as also will take the trouble to read it, will discover that: and such being the case, we claim that justice—we had almost said gratitude—towards those people demands that the truth—un welcome demands that the truth—un welcome the read of the

> Now, in the first place, it may be argued that this Colony has, in accordance with the clause last quoted, made entire provision for the management and regulation of the Customs, etc., inasmuch as the revenue is collected without costing Her Majesty one shilling; and it would be unreasonable to suppose that Her Majesty would claim the disposal of a fund created and collected wholly at the cost of the Colony. And the But suppose some technical loophole left through which the Government can ingeniously wriggle-such as the omission to quote the Act of '57 in the Ordinance of '57, &c As a tax-payer I ask, why has entire provision in lieu or variation of clause CLXXXIV, for the benefit of the exhausted Colonial Exchequer, not been made. Seeing that it is a more matter of scrivenery and of form, the Government have had six years to do it in, and that the subject matter of the clause first quoted is clearly not included among the "particular provisions" alluded to in the latter set? to in the latter act ?

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We remain, dear sir, Your obdt. servants,

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To His Worship the Mayor and others. GENTIEMEN,—I very gladly, accept your invitation to lay before the public the result of my travels before returning home. I have really gathered such surprising evidence of your material weath, that I should almost hesitate to submit it to the world without endorsement to the world without endorsement of the property of the property

action now taken an average commensely.

I intended to give the first Lecture on Wednesdry next, but i have been compelled to postpone it until FRIDAY night, ifth instant, and the concluding Lecture until the following Monday.

I remain, Gentlemen, yours gratefully.

LEGH HARNETT.

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Victoria, 3d January, 1868.

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SPICES...Assorted; bost Vearl Sago
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RUM In puncheons
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PORT WINE, very fine, in bottle TWINES, Fine and Shop

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1500 YARDS, FROM 3 TO 24 PERT turers, in lengths to suit, at

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Government street, opposite the Theatre. HAS MADE PERPARATIONS TO supply the juvenile and adult nonulation with

Sweets & Confections OF EVERY CONCEIVABLE DESCRIPTION

167 All the articles in the Store

are Guaranteed to be free from any injurious substances and are all Home Manufactured. A Variety of Cakes

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NOTICE.

In connection with our Real Estate business, we have had made, by competent Surveyors, two large Maps, each 6 feet square, of the City of Victoria together with the Suburban Property, &c., &c.; also, a large Map of Esquimalt and the surveyounding Property.

### TUESDAY

### J. P. DAVIES & CO.

Will sell by Auction,

Wharf Street,

Tuesday, Jan. 14th

AT 11 O'CLOCK, A. M.

Black Cloth Frock

#### Heavy and Fine Cassimere, Satinettes, ov Harrisen Mixture, Black Cloth, and Doeskin, Witney, and Boys' Cassi-

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BOOTS ! BOOTS ! Grain Leather. Fine Calf. Heavy Kip

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One superior first-class Horse, Buggy and Harness-one of the best turn-

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AT THE FARM OF MR R. C. PORT-WAY,

AT 12 O'CLOCK NOON,

The following



# Farming Implements

I large Imported Yorkshire Hog 1 Cow and 2 Heifers la Mule Team 1 set Harness 1 strong Waggon

40 first-class Sows and Barrows

2 Ploughs and I Cradle 1 Rutter Churn

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Auctioneer.

SALESROOM

# CLOTHING

BOOTS Ex Steamer California.

Heavy Beaver Overcoats, Custom-made Short Jackets, Heavy Witney Coats Fine Cassimere Sack Coats

# PANTS AND VESTS:

FURNISHING GOODS White Shirts, Linen Fronts, Collars

mere Pants

Drawers

## town Socks

Full Nailed Fremont, Tap Sole, &c.

AT COMMENCEMENT OF SALE

outs in the Colony.

Auctioneer.

Wednesday, Jan. 15.

Have received instructions to sell by Public Auction,

NORTH SAANICH, Wednesday, Jan. 15,

# STOCK

1 0x Cart 1 Roller and 2 pair Harrows

1 Grindstone

TERMS CASH

J. P. DAVIES. San Thoney

# AUCTIONEERS AND COMMISSION MER-CHANTS. Salesroom Fireproof Stone Build-Cash advances made on Consignments.

1 large Boiler 1000 feet Lumber

Red Shirts and Drawers, Kersey Checked Over and Blue Serge Shirts Hickory Shirts, Cotton and Germanceedings in reference to the purchase of St

Thomas. A later telegram states that well-informed persons at Santiago doubt the

Cabrilla pronounces in favor of Brez.

The new Captain General was given a range icent reception by the foreign Consuls

offences while the country is tranquil.

The Tribune's St Thomas letter says there

have been five hundred shocks of earthquake

made a general indiscrimate conscription upon the streets, it is said for Cape Haytien.

The Government is placed in the charge of

Gen Ulsysce Nengre, who rules with a de-

Mexico.

Virginia brings important news from Sisal. The revolution in Yucatan is as-

suming large proportions. Santa Anna has been proclaimed Dictator by the re-

volutionists, and is expected hourly with

men and a million of dollars. The port and town of Sisal is in the hands of the rebels, but the port is blockaded by two Mexican gunboats. A number of officers who formerly served under the Empire, have arrived at Sisal. The coast of Yu-

catan and the vicinity of Sisal is diligently

watched to prevent the landing of troops

the rebellion. When the Virginia left Vera Cruz on the 20th, the Mexican

steamer Tabasco was about to sail for

Sisal with an expedition to restore au.

Tribune of November 29th:

The famine in the northern part of

Sweden-above lat 62, in a province

called Norrland-has now reached its

climax. The sufferings of its people,

with their dwellings surrounded in midwinter, by snow from 10 to 20 feet

deep, are so great, according to of-ficial reports, that immediate relief is needed to prevent the whole num-

years; and, during all this time,

despair and death, seeing that there is not the Heast hope of sustaining

their lives and families, with a ten months' winter staring them in the face. The Swedish Government, see-

ing the extreme peril of these sufferers

vation, has nearly emptied all its

Gulf of Botnnia; and all over Europe,

BEECHER says : "I have given thou-

sands of dollars to people in distress, with

the understanding that it was to be paid

back, and that was from a black woman.

A LADY'S ENDORSEMENT.

Madame E \_\_\_\_\_, the acknowledged leader of the most refined and fashionable society in the

city of New York, speaks of MURRAY & LANMAN'S FLORIDA WATER in the following

highly complimentary manner, viz: "It has a

fragrance as fresh as the odor from blooming

flowers, and imparts to the bath a delightful buoy-

ance. I use it on the toilet table and the hand-

kerchief, to the exclusion of all other perfumes. Buyers should always ask for the Florida

Water prepared by Lanman & Kemp, New York.

Hollowat's Pills .- Strong and Hearty .-

price, but, unfortunately, rarely think about it til

it is going or gone. Holloway's Pills now stand so very high in public estimation for purifying the

blood and promoting the appetite and digestion

that it is unnecessary to do more than name them

as the surest and safest means of retaining or re-

gaining robust health and corresponding strength

They act as purifiers, tonics, alteratives, and aperients ; and they exercise over every organ the most wholesome influence, by supplying it with

d licate invalid will derive from Holloway's Pills

wigour and comfort.

Every wise man aims at attaining health at

back, but I have never received but

liberal response.

ng en irely exterminated by star-

of the Republic.

thority.

all seem busily engaged.

NEW YORK, Dec. 27 .- Advices from

Hayti correspondence says Salnave has

the latter wore victorious; Gen Palances, of the national army, was killed. Bacz has enlarged his sphere of operations in conse-quence of this victory. The Legislative Chambers of St Domingo have disapproved of the loan of ten millions france recently negotiated in Paris. It is reported from a high source that United States Consul Savage has received a 29. The best Remedy for Parifying the Blood, atrengtheaing the Store, Restoring the Lost Appetite FIESSES, LAMBURG THE LOST APPETING THE STORE AND THE STORE telegram from the American Consul in Santiago de Cuba, which he telegraphed to Mr Seward, advising him to defer further pro-

EMIL FRESE, Wholesale Druggist,,, Sole Agent, 410 Clay st San Francisco.

T. J. EDWARDS, Stockton.

#### FINDLAY & DURHAM, IMPORTERS

General Commission Merchants Advices from Venezuela to the 6th say the press, is vehemently demanding an explana-tion from the Government concerning the arrest of three citizens for alleged political Wharf Street, Victoria, V.I.

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WM. ZELNER, SURGEON DENTIST WITH

ESTABLISHED IN 1858.

OFFICE:

Corner Government and Yates streets.

#### C. F. BARNARD, M. D. Mechanical & Surgical Bentist. the City of Mexico to the 19th, received

via Havana, say that much misery exists throughout the Republic in consequence OFFICE: - Douglas street, first house on the right' of the exhaustion and disorganization fol-Profession skilled a granted Coath lowing the war. A general call is made

Profession skilfully executed. Tech extracted without pain by the use of Chloroform, Ether, or "Rhigolene Spray."
Charge for the Extraction of Adult Teeth and Children's Second Teeth, without "Sgray" or Chloroform Head. Charge for Fillings and other Work, reduced, so as to conform somewhat to the extgency of the times. Plates of Silver, fold, or Vulcanite neutly, strongly and satisfiac orily Repaired, whether partially broken or completely divided in two. Advice Gratis.
Victoria, V. I., B. C., Aug. 9th, 1867. 1910 19 upon the Government to take measures to prevent the increase of brigandage, to which many people are compelled to resort by hunger. Peace is reestablished at Tepic, and after many disturbances, tranquility has returned to different parts HAVANA, Dec. 26.—The steamship

#### Wallace & Stewart, PRODUCE & COMMISSION MERCHANTS WHARF STREET, Victoria, V. I.,

All kinds of Agricultural Produce bought and sold. de13 1

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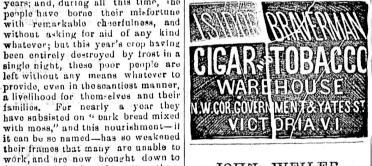
Santa Anna is still in this city. Many ex-Imperialist officers have arrived, and T IR R UNIDERRAGINED ELAVING A complete stock on hand, is now prepared to count any order therewith, on the shortest notice ad on the most reasonable terms. THE FAMINE IN NORTHERN SWEDEN, We find the following in the New The Trade Supplied.

#### LD, LOWENBERG. REAL ESTATE AGENT

Government street, near corner of Broughton

WILL PAY PARTICULAR ATTENTION
to ceiling, parchasing and leasing property it negotiating loans and transacting everything connected
with fixed Estate business. Districts on the Island may be
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Convoyances of every description done at reasonable
rates.

ber of the sufferers-over 300,000 souls—dying from actual starva-tion. The barvests in Norrland have been a partial failure for the last five



JOHN WEILER. (LATE OF F. STEMMERR & CO.)

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# UPHOLSTERER,

storehouses, and sent the grain in their own war vessels to Norrland, so Fort street, (next door to Fell & Co.) as to be available for the sufferers be-BEGS TO ANNOUNCE TO HIS FRIENDS fore the complete freezing up of the

#### HOUSE-FURNISHING STORE at the above place, and, in soliciting their patronage

principally in London and Hamburg, has the officially sanctioned appeal for aid met with a most cheerful and hopes that, by strict attention to orders and moderate prices, he will ment their confidence. In addition to the above, I also would announce that the firm of F. Stemmler & Co. has been dissolved, and

usiness done by me is solely on my own acc JOHN WEILER.

Jesse

Cowner,



WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALER IN

## Boots: Slocs LEATHER AND SHOE FINDINGS!

Yates St., opp. Wells, Farge & Co.'s.

At the Old Stand of Webster & Co.,

is prepared to supply the wants of the Public in his line. the purest blood, and regulating the quality and quantity of every secretion. The most timid and

THE LATEST STYLES Received by every arrival from England and San Francisco jac I ja6 I

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Steamer Constantine, from Sitka. the undersigned, Corsignees of the above vessel, will be re-possible for any debts contracted by the crew without their written order.

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For San Francisco via Puget Sound.
THE FINE NEW SCHOONER

"ALASKA," Captain Rufus Calhoun, will commence taking in freigh at the Hedson Bay Company's Wharf on Monday next the 6th instant, and will have quick dispatch.

J. ROBERTSON STEWART. NOTICE.

H. B. Co.'s Ship Prince of Wales. SHIPPERS ARE NOTIFIED that this vessel will be ready to receive freight for Lendon on Monday, 30th inst. For particulars, apply at the II B. Co.'s Office, on Manfature and the second of the second o

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CAPT. ST. CLAIR.

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the undersigned will be responsible for any
debts contracted by the crow. Agents,
SPROAT&CO, Agents,
Store street.

FOR SHANGHAL.

THE A1 BRITISH SHIP; "TREBOLGAN,"

1200 tons register, Thomas Lewis commander, is intended to sail from Esquimal Harbor for the above port on or about the 15th of January next.

The ship has very superior accommodation for Gabin and Steerage Passengers

For rates of passage, apply to

J. ROBERTSON STEWARY,

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Agent.

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THOS. LEWIS, COMMANDER.

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the undersgreed will be responsible for any
debts contracted by the crew without their
written order.

J. ROBERISON STEWART, Agent.
Victoria, 5th December, 1867.

Wants, &c. WANTED.

A MAN THAT UND SHEETANDS COOK-ing and to do house work.

Apply to MR LUSH,
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JOHN CATIERON,—WANTED, THE

John CAMERON,—WANTED, THE

John Cameron,
aged about 29 years, a native of Perthanire, Scotland,
Wrote ask to bis Irlends in Ireland from Victoria, in
April, 1863 Was at that time about starting for Cariboo, at which gold fields he had purchased claims. Any
information respecting him will be most thankfully received by Mrs Cameron, Tottenham Green, to the care of
the Editor of the Wexford Coustitution, Wexford, Ireland.

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HAVE RECEIVED,

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Combs, Brushes, &c.,

Direct from the old established Firm of G. B. KENT & Co., London,

#### EAU DE COLOGNE,

Direct from JOHANN MARIA FARINA,

Bully's & Rimmel's Toilet Vinegar; Rowland's Macassar Oil; Rondeletia;

Judson's Simple Dyes-any one can use them-anything can be dyed with

Keating's Cough Lozenges; Rimmel's Lime Juice and Glycerine;

And an Assortment of the Purest Drugs and Chemicals.

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The grand secret of a vaining happiness is to secure good health, without which life is stripped of a lits pleasures. The first irregularity of any function should be checked and set right by appropriate does of these the purifying Fills, which strengthen the system by thoroughly cleansing the blood rom all impurities. They balance disordered action, remove the cause of disturbance and restore its normal and natural power to every organ, without inconvenience, pain or any other drawback.

Derangement of the Bowels, Liver and Stomach Complaints.

This medicine is so well known in every part of the world, and the cures effected by its use are so wonderful as to astonish every one. I is pre-emigenee as a remedy for billous and liver complaints and derangements of the stomach and bowels, is no longers matter of dispute or doubt. In these diseases the ben field effects of tolloway's invaluable Pills are so pormanent and extensive that the whole system is removated, the organs of digestion strengthened, and full and easy assimilation prometed, so that both physical and moral energy are increased.

Determination of Blood to the Head. This is generally occasioned by some irregularity o atomach and bowels, which, it not quickly attend etc. frequently terminates latally. A few does of the common lills never fail to give tone to the stomach regularity to the secretions, and purity to the fullet. Vertigo timness of sight and other indications of approaching apoplexy, are on iroly dissipated by a course of this admirable medicine.

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The Female's Bost Friend,
For all debittating disorders peculiar to the or and in
every; e stinguesy persions to the lite of women, youthtall or agod, married or single, this mild but speedy
remely is recommended with friendly e ymestness. It
will correct all functional derangements to which they
are subset.

Scrofula and all Skin Diseases.

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For all skin discases, howeve invoterate, these medicines are asovereign remedy. Whils the Fills act upon the blood, which they jul fly, the outment passes through the proces of the 8 "n, and cleasures every structure, as water satu ates he soil or as salt penetrates meat. The whole physical machinery is thus rendered healthy, regular and vu orous

Coughs, Colds and Asthmas.

No medicine will cure coids of long duration or such as are settled upon the chest so quickly as these famous Fills. Even in cases where the first tage of astimas has appeared these Fills may be relied up as a certain and rever infling remedy, perticularly if the Onkment be simultaneously well rubbed into the chest and throat night and morning.

Indigostion—Billious Headache.

These complaints may sometimes be considered trifling out it should be borne in mind that by inattention and neglect, they often end most serously. Give early though to a cranged stomach take Holloway's Fills, rub his celebrated Ointe end over the pit of the stomach, and you will shortly perceive a change for the better in your gigestion, spirits, appetite, strength and energy. The improvement, though it may be gradual will be thorough and lasting.

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Wormsof There is considerable and the relation of patients in ever disease affixed to each lox, oc81-W. Legal Notices.

Queen Charlotte Coal Mining Co. (Limited.)

NOTICE IS BERGEOV GIVEN THAT
the Annual Meeting of the Shareholders of said
Company will be held, in the City Council Chambers,
corner of Broad and Trounce streets, in the City of Victoria, on Monday, the 18th day of January next, at the
hour of 1 o'clock p.m.

hour of 1 o'clock p.m.
Also, on the same day, and at the rame place, will be held, at the hour of 2 o'clock p.m., an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of said Company, for the purpose of passing a Special Resolution to Reciper to the Company under "The Companies Act, 1862," pur suant to "The Companies Ordinance, 1860," Also, there will be held at the same place, on Wednesday, the 16th day of January next, at the hour of 1 o'clock p.m., the General Ordinary Meeting of the Shareholders of said Company.

H. GASTON, Secretary.

Victoria, December 31, 1867. H. GASTON, Secretary.

Supreme Court of Civil Justice, V.I.

IN BANKRUPTCY.

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IN RE PARIS CARTER, A BANKRUPT.—
The Bankrupt will come up for his last examination and to apply for his discharge before His Honor Chief Justice Necham, at the Court House, James' Bay, Victria, on Wednesday, the 22d day of January histaut, at 11 o'clock a.m.

TO ALL, WIROM THEIS MAY CONCERN, take notice that I have revoked all Powers of Attorney made by me provides to this date; especially any have given to PARIS CARTER.

DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY OF THE PROPE REBECCA BRADFORT.

NOTICE

In the Estate of Holder & Hart. A DIVIDENBER THE ABOVE ENTATE

A will be payable at the office of J. R. Stewart, Esq.,

Wharf street, on and a'ter Thursday, January 2.

J. R. STEWART,

V. R. H. ADAMSON,

Victoria, January 3, 1863.

Estate of Fisk & Greenebaum.

NOTICE.

A DIVIDEND IN THEE ESTATE WILL

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She paid on proved claims, at the office of the undersigned, 36 Government street, on and atter this day,

Victoria, V.I., 31st December, 1867.

F. WEISSENBURGER,

Assignee.

Estate of L. L'Hotelier.

A DIVIDEND IN THIS ESTATE WILL A be paid on proved claims, at the office of the uniqued, 36 Government street, on and after this day. Victoria, V.I., 31st December, 1867.

F. WEISSENBURGER,

NOTICE.

MCCUTCHAN & CALLINGHAM HAVE to request that ail persons indebted to them will settle their accounts on or before the 31st day of January, 1868. Any accounts outstanding after that tate will be paced in the hands of a Soitstor for immediate collection. Mct. & C. have also to request that all claims against the firm be presented to them within one month from date.

A LL PERSONS INDESTED TO THE A late Firm of Harris & Murray are requested to make payment of the amount of their debts to the undersigned, who is alone authorised to receive the same without any interference from his late partner, Mr Thomas Harris."

JOHN MURRAY,
Union Market, corner Fort and Douglas streets
City Market, Store street, Victoria.
Dec. 27, 1867.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

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I MEREBY NOTIFY TERE PUBLIC
that under the provisions of indenture of Partner
ship I have this day declared the copartnership heretofore existing between Mr Thomas Harris and myself,
under the style of Harris & Murray, as Butchers and
Genral Dealers, in Port street, Government street and
Store street, Victoria, dissolved, as of this date, and the
satte has been dissolved accordingly, and I also give
notice that the said Thomas Harris has no authority to
receive payment or release any of the debts due to the
late firm, or interfere in any way with the effects of the
late copartnership.

JOHN MURRAY.

Victoria, V. I., B. C., Dec. 23, 1867. JOHN MURRAY. de24

#### In the Supreme Court of Civil Justice of British Columbia. IN BANKRUPTCY.

Re CHARLES WENTWORTH WAL-

Re CHARLES WENTWORTH WALLACE, a Bankrupt,

WHEREA THE COURT AUTHORIZED TO act in the prosecution of a petition for adjudication of other prosecution of a petition for adjudication of other prosecution of a petition for adjudication of other prosecution of the said Backupt, appointed a public sitting under such petition, to be held before the Honorable slatthew Baille Berghe, Jadze of our Supreme Court of Civil Justice of British Columbia, sitting in Bankrupte, on the 14th day of January next, at 5 o'clock in the alternoon precisely, at the Court nouse, New Westminster, for the allowance of the critificate of the said Bankrupt's according to the form and subject to the provisions of "The Bankrupt's Law Consolidation Act, 1849," and "The Bankrupt Law Consolidation Act, 1849," and "The Bankrupt ordinance, 1865" This is to give notice that such Court will six at the time and placea above mentioned, for the said bankrupt, who shad have apparent the allowance of such certificate," and the same will be allowed, unless cause be then and there shown to the contrary, or such other order will be nade therein as the justice of the case may require.

CHAS. E. POOLEY, Official Assignee.

### IN BANKRUPTCY.

WHEREAM A PETTFION FOR ABJUdication of Bunkraphey, bearing date the 12th day
foeember, A.D. 1867, hath been duly fled against
John Gundry Jennings, of New Westminster, B.C., dealer
ad-chamma, and he having been declared a Bankrupt, is
required to surrender himself to the Hon, Matthew Baille
Begblie, one of Her Majesty's Commas-isoners of the Court
of Bankrupter, on the 7th and 21st days of January next
respectively, a five o'clock in the afternoon, at the Court
House, New Westminster, and make a full discovery and
dasclosure of his estate and effects when and where the
creditors are to come prepared to prove their debt;
and at the first sitting to choose Assignees, and at the
last sitting the Choose Assignees, and at the
last sitting the Bankrupt is required to finish his examination.

last sitting the Bankrupt is required to action.

All persons indebted to the said Bankrupt, or that have any i fals effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Charles Edward Pooley, the Official Assignce, whom the said Commissioner has appointed.

GEO. A. WALKEM,
Counsel for Bankrupt.

New Westminster, December 13th, 1867.

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Government Street,

VICTORIA, V. I.

This Establishment Is now Open for the Reception of Guests, Andis recommended to the Traveling Public as a

FIRST-CLASS HOTEL.

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The most comfortable and homelike Hotelin the State wherevery want is anticipated and cheerfully supplied. The AMERICAN EXCHANGE COACH, with KED LIGHIN, will always be in readiness to convey passengers to the Hotel free of charge.

1931 19 THOTHY SARGENT Proprieter. TO LEASE POR A TREEM OF YEARS, A LIME QUARRY in Victoria harbor-Also, soverel LOIS on the Esquimalt Road, dt JER. NAGLE. Insurance.

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FIRE AND LIFE.

CAPITAL .....TEN MILLION DOLLARS RESERVE TO MEET LOSSES

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DOVE, Manager.
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The business of the

Life Branch. Has also largely increased since the Directors reduced the rate to the English standard.

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Agents for Vancouver Island and British Columbidell

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FIRE AND LIFE ASSURANCE. ESTABLISHED 1836;

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This Company grant Lusurances against Fire on every description of property.

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This Institution accepts proposals at the rates of premium applicable to Europe, which on examination will be found more advantageous than those charged by other considerable and the advantages of a Mutual Association with the second advantage of a Mutual Association with the second advantage of the Proprietors of the Company for a charge of 16 per cent. on the premiums, without any other deduction whatever. Thus the assured enjoy the profit without this like and the participation in profits has been most liberal; Should claims arise before the next investigation, a prospective bonus of nearly 1½ per cent. is allotted.

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FIRE-Imperial Insurance Company, London

LIFE-City of Glasgow Assurance Company, Glasgow For Rates of Premium, apply to

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INDIVIDUAL LIABILITY, CAPITAL Stock, \$750,000.

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